

## **Media Information**

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Date: 11/05/18 UPDATE

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide Date: 11/03/18 Time: 7:16am

Location of Offense/Incident: 333 E 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. Zone: 4 Precinct: 4

Incident Report #: 180927033 Cruiser District: 42

Victim: BLISS, JAMES		Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 70
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Suspect:		Address:		
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Charges:				
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Incident Summary: On Saturday November 03, 2018 at approximately 7:16 a.m., the Columbus Division of Police received a call and were requested to respond to 333 E 9 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Initial information indicated that a person was shot. Personnel assigned to CFD Medic 2 responded and pronounced the victim deceased at 7:37 am. The case is under investigation and the exact motive is uncertain at this time. Names withheld pending notifications and confirmed identities of the involved parties.				
Anyone with information regarding this homicide is asked to contact the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at 614-645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-8477.				
Detective R. Connor is the primary investigator assisted by Detective G. Sheppard.				
This is the 89 <sup>th</sup> homicide of 2018.				
This investigation continues.				
***UPDATE: The victim has been positively identified as listed above.				
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